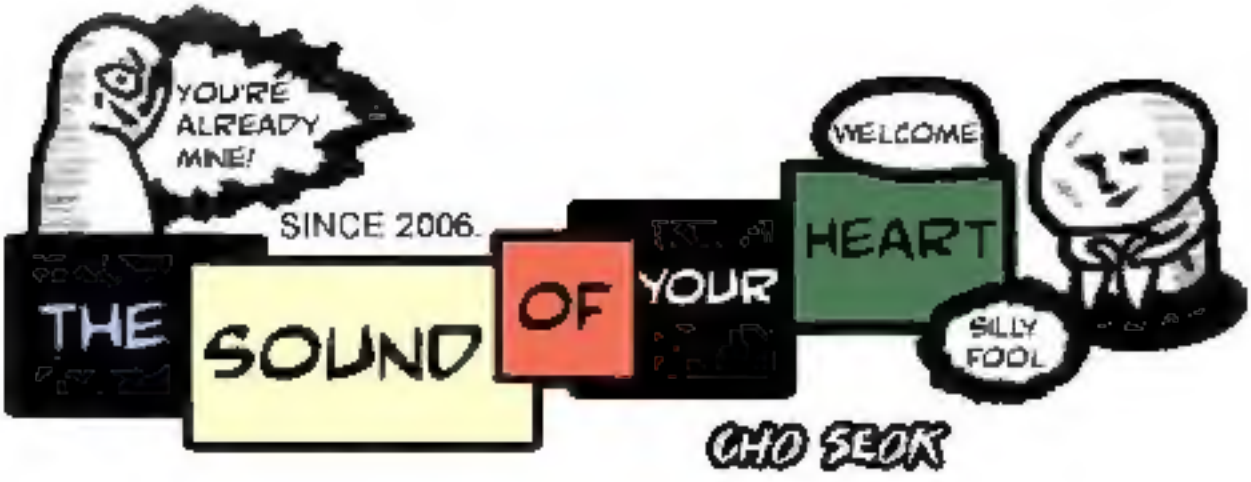
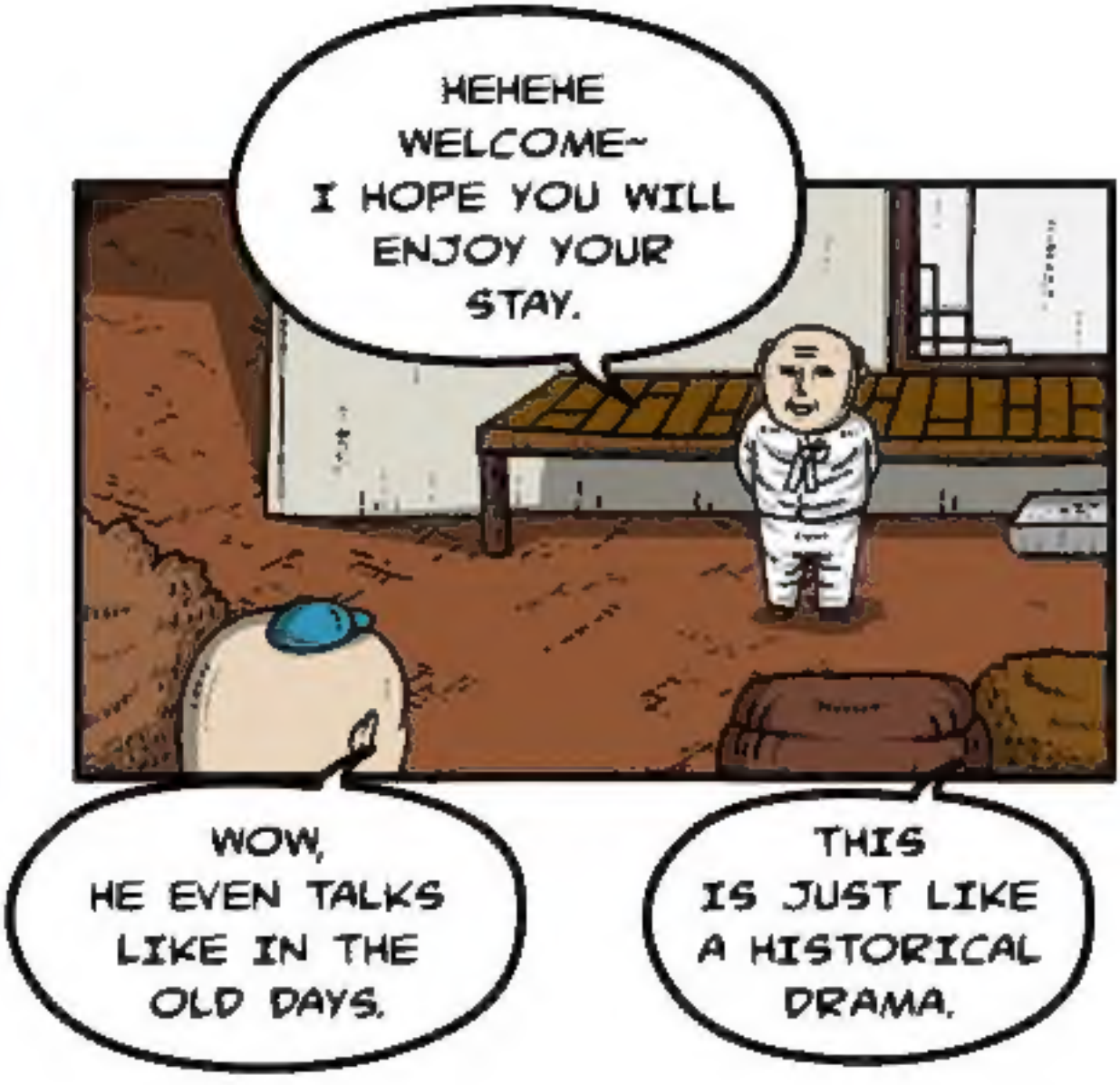
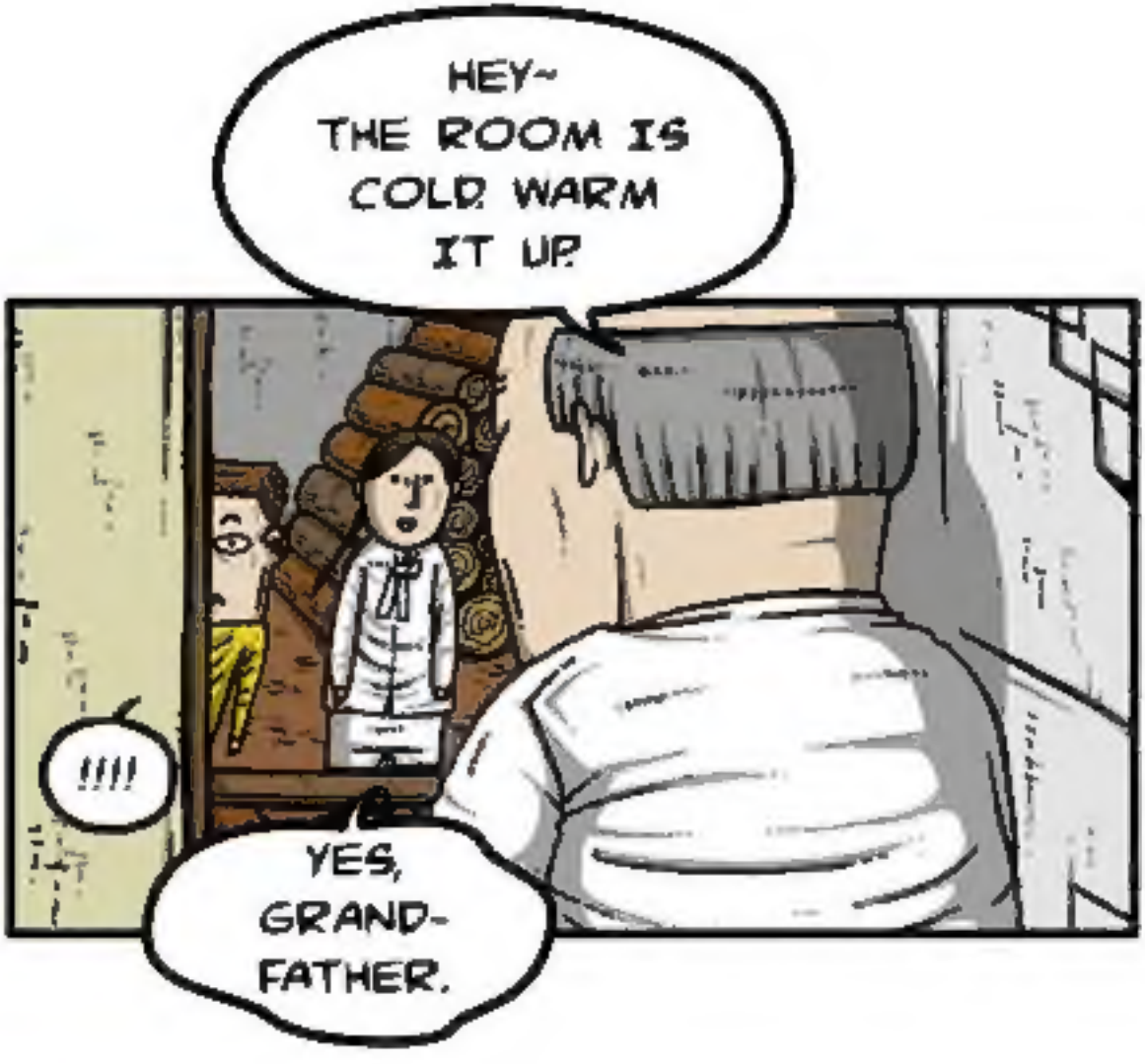


- LIFE IN THE COUNTRYSIDE -

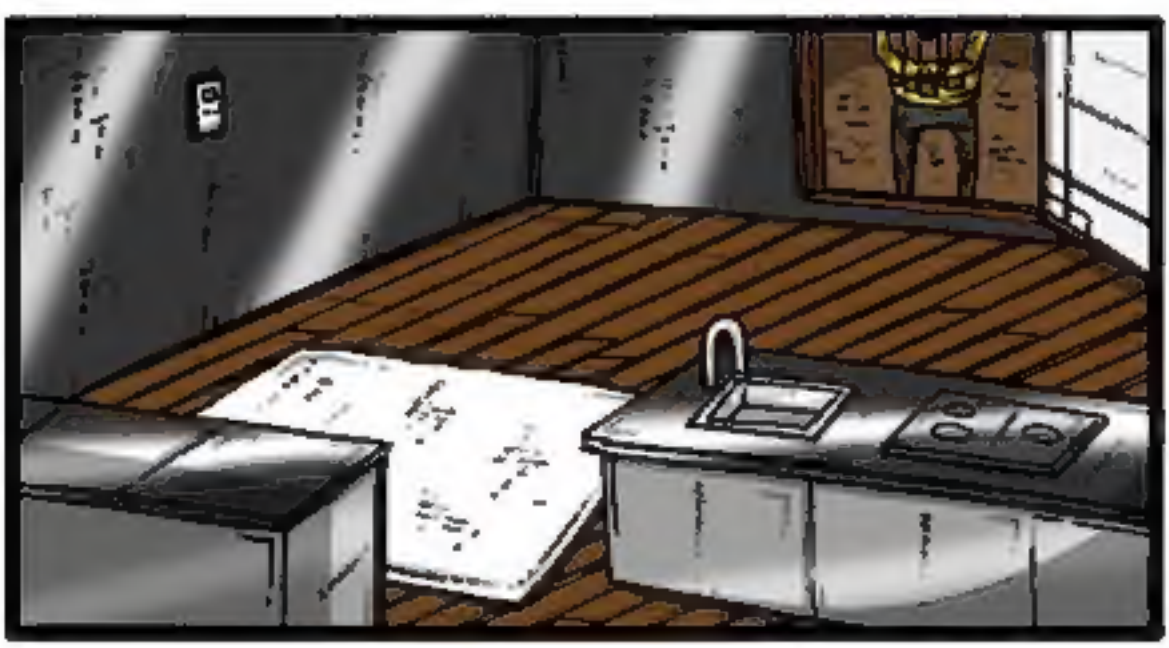
MY FAMILY WENT ON A TRIP IN THE COUNTRYSIDE.

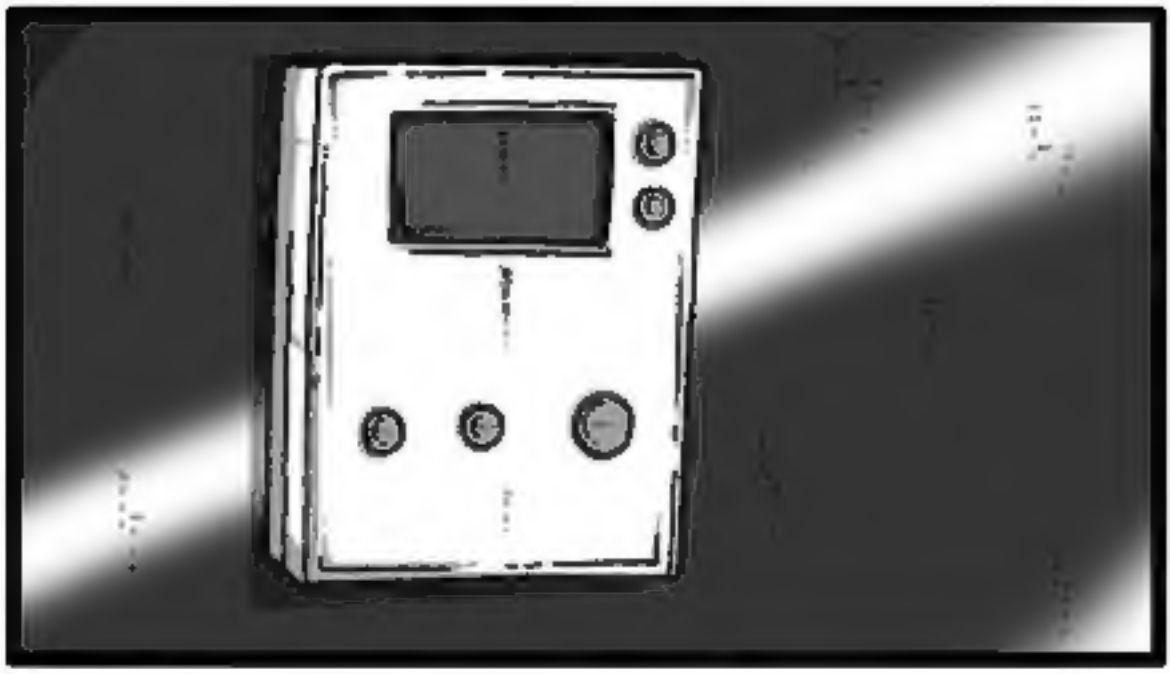
WE DECIDED TO STAY AT A HOUSE WHERE THEY MAINTAIN A TRADITIONAL LIFESTYLE.

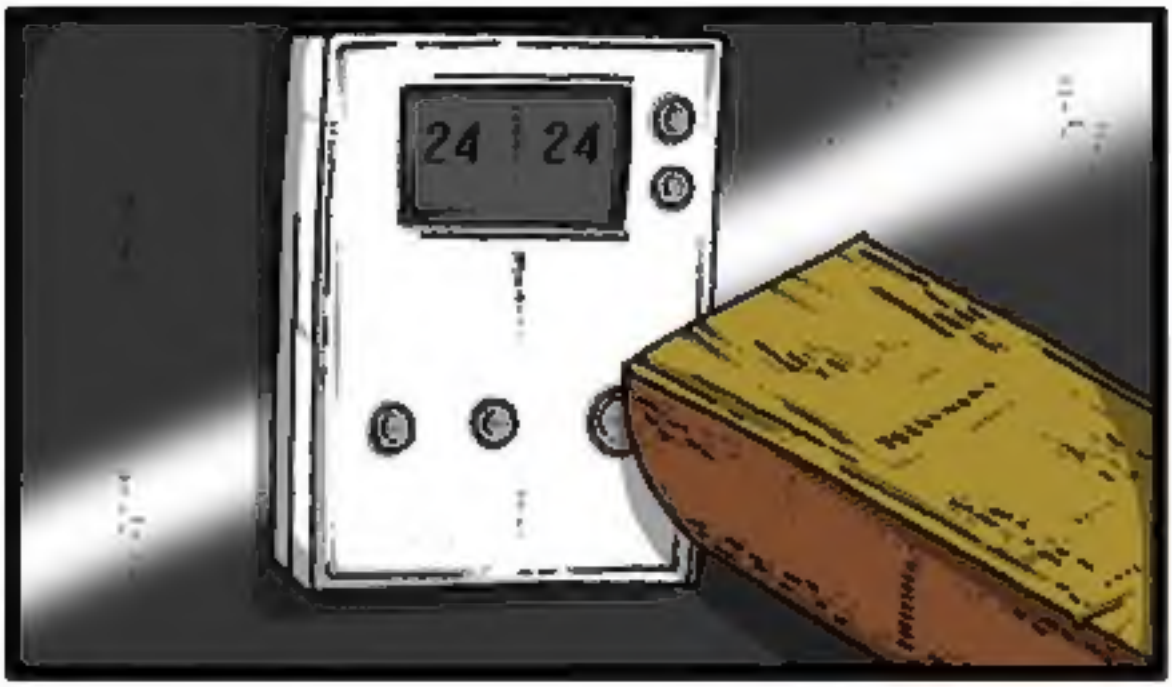

HEHEHE
WELCOME~
I HOPE YOU WILL
ENJOY YOUR
STAY.
WOW,
HE EVEN TALKS
LIKE IN THE
OLD DAYS.
THIS
IS JUST LIKE
A HISTORICAL
DRAMA.

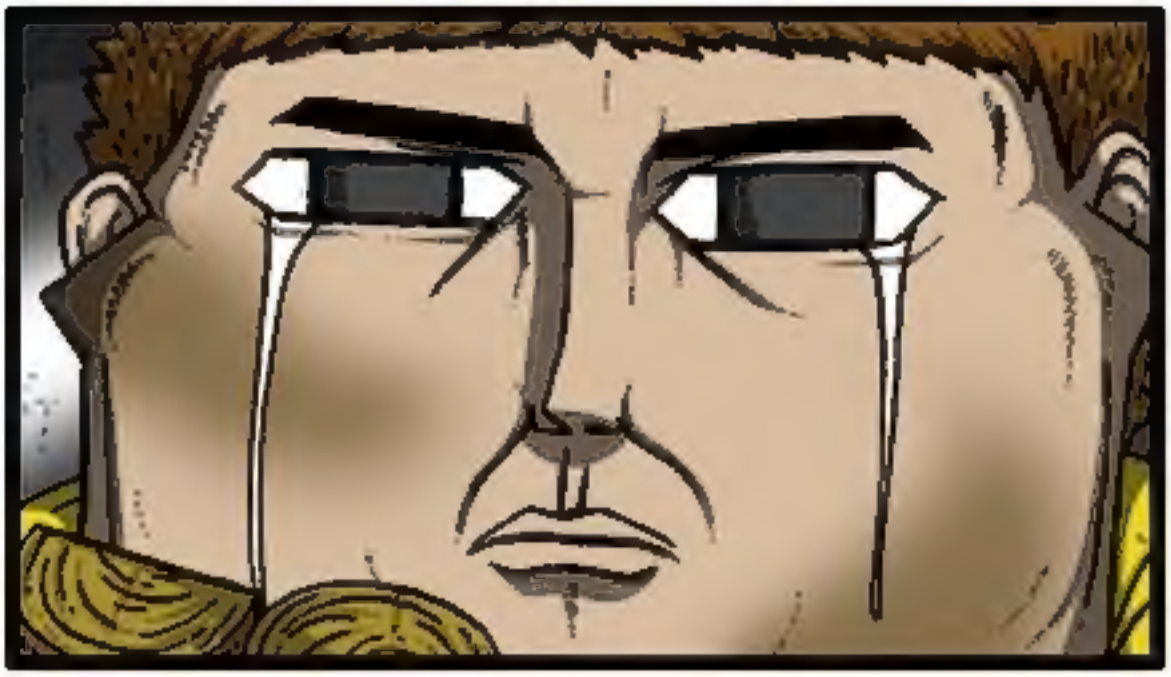

HEY~
THE ROOM IS
COLD. WARM
IT UP.
!!!!
YES,
GRAND-
FATHER.

EXCUSE ME... MAY I TRY IT?
SURE, THE KITCHEN IS THIS WAY.
AH! THANK YOU! I'VE ALWAYS WANTED TO TRY THIS!





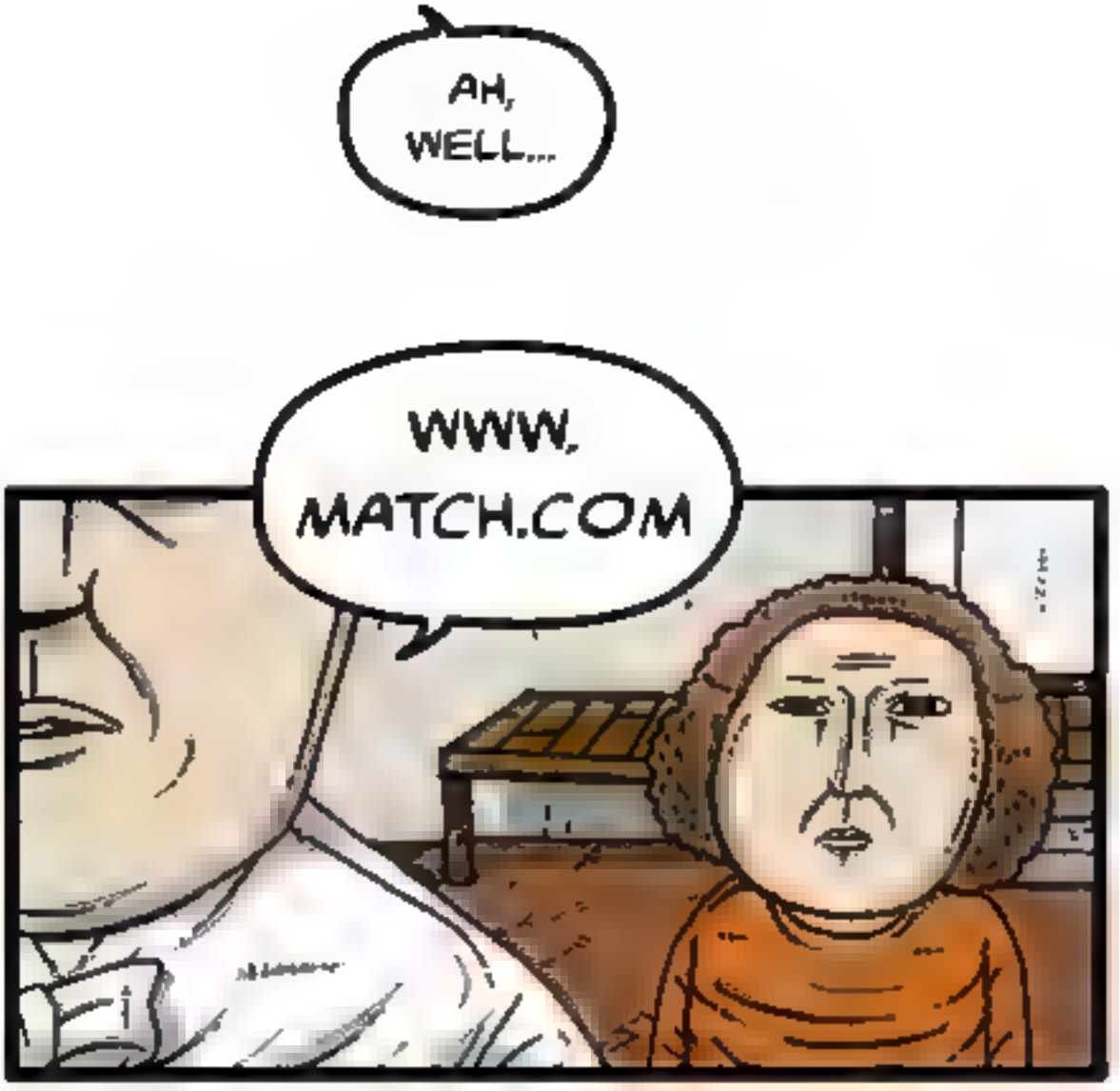




MAINTAINING A TRADITIONAL LIFESTYLE INVOLVES ALL KINDS OF INTERESTING BITS OF CULTURE.

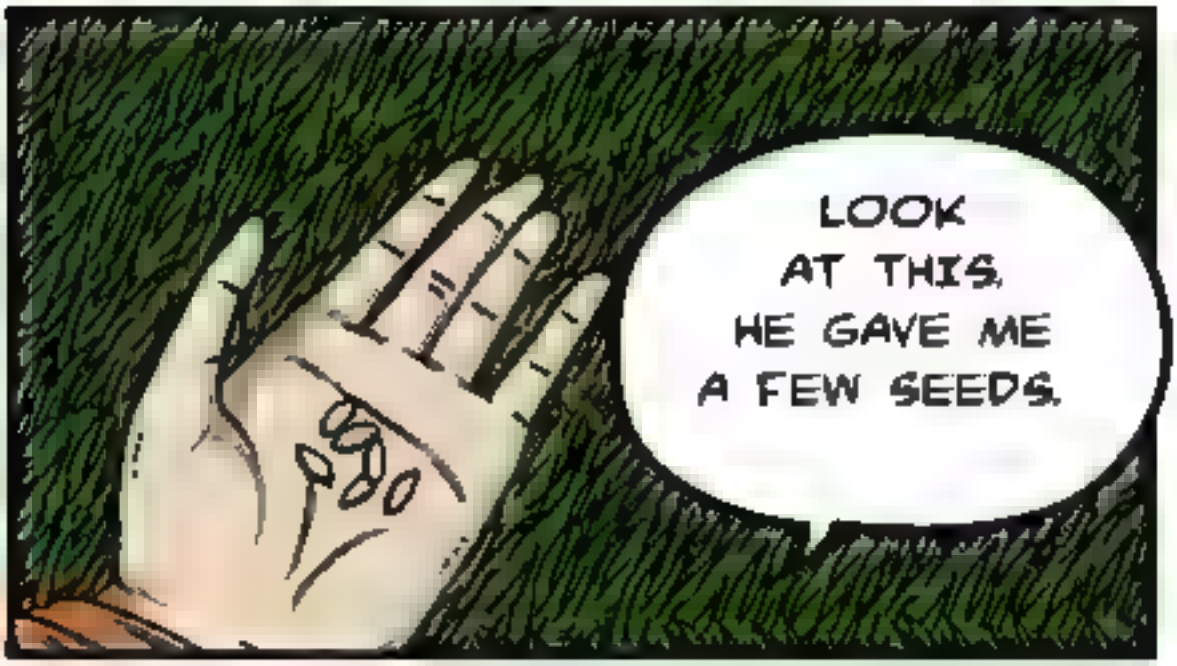
THAT'S MY GRANDSON., HE'S GETTING MARRIED SOON.
AH~ I SEE. CONGRATULATIONS.
THAT'S THE GIRL FROM THE NEXT VILLAGE WHO'S ENGAGED TO MARRY MY GRANDSON.

SO HOW DO YOU DECIDE ON WHO YOU'RE GOING TO MARRY HERE?



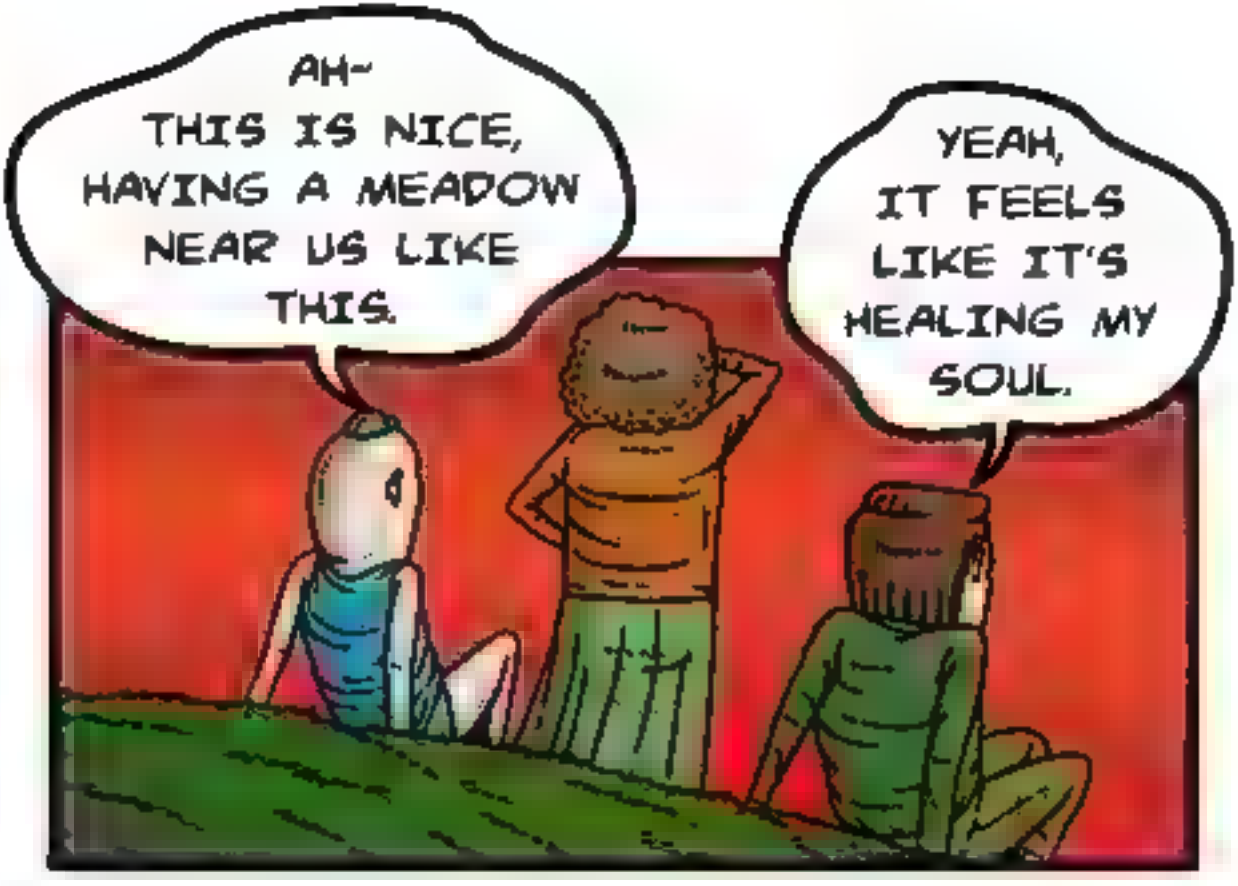
A SITE WHICH BOASTS A 99.9% SUCCESSFUL MATCHING RATE

LIFE HERE IS RICHLY INFUSED WITH MOTHER NATURE.



LIFE HERE IS RICHLY INFUSED WITH MOTHER NATURE.

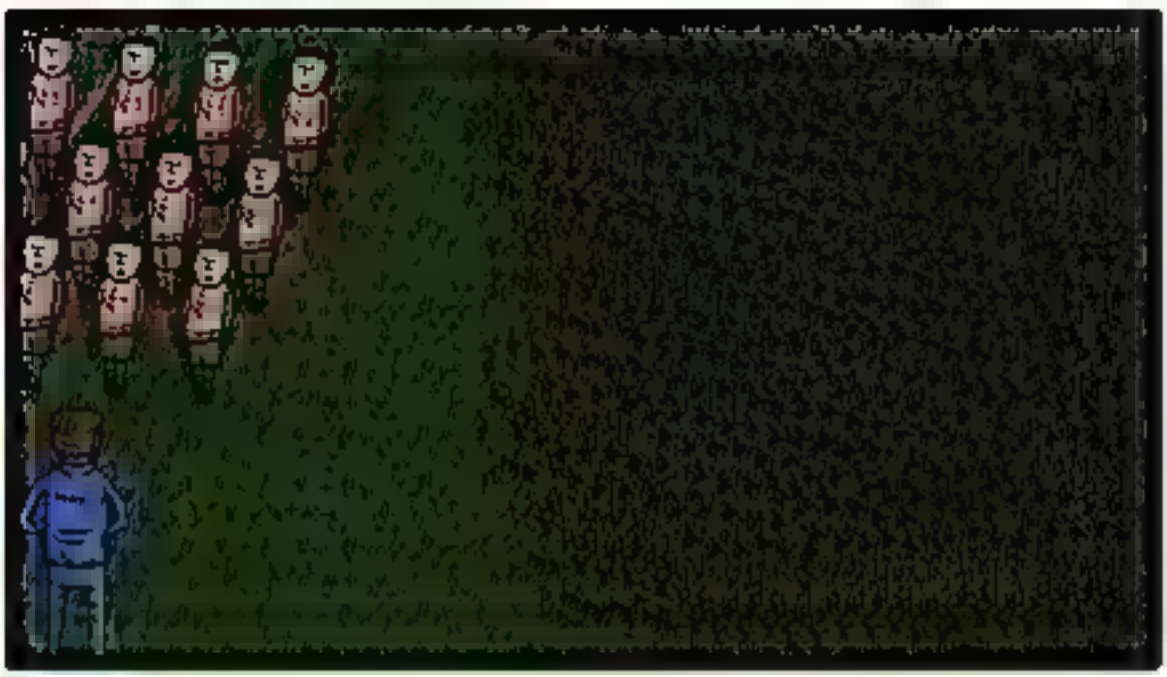
THERE'S NOTHING LIKE PLANTING SEEDS AND WATCHING THEM GROW NATURALLY OUT HERE IN NATURE.
THIS IS WHY YOU SEE BEAUTIFUL FIELDS OF GRASS ALL AROUND YOU...


AH~
THIS IS NICE, HAVING A MEADOW NEAR US LIKE THIS.
YEAH, IT FEELS LIKE IT'S HEALING MY SOUL.

WELL, LET'S GO GET SOMETHING TO EAT.
?!
OKAY!

WE ARE NOT WEAK!
WE MAY JUST BE A LITTLE SOCCER CLUB OUT IN THE COUNTRYSIDE...

BUT I SWEAR TO YOU!
IF YOU TRUST AND FOLLOW ME!
WE WILL TASTE THE SWEET FRUITS OF VICTORY IN JUST A FEW MONTHS!!



SIX MONTHS LATER

WE WANT TO TRY
SOME TRADITIONAL GAMES.

DO YOU HAVE ANY TRADITIONAL GAMES HERE THAT WE COULD TRY?
OF COURSE~ WOULD YOU LIKE TO PLAY KICKBALL WITH US?

KICKBALL IS OUR OWN TRADITIONAL VERSION OF FOOTBALL.
INSTEAD OF USING A BALL, YOU ROLL UP STRAW ROPE INTO A BALL AND KICK IT AROUND.

COOL- I'M LOOKING FORWARD TO THIS.

KANE
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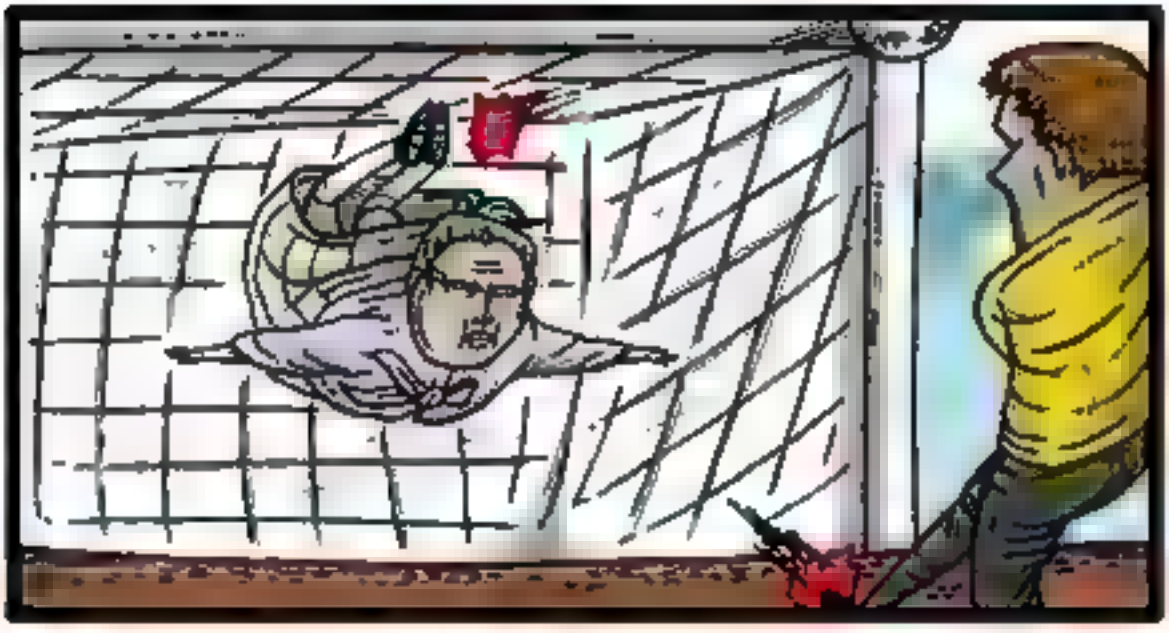
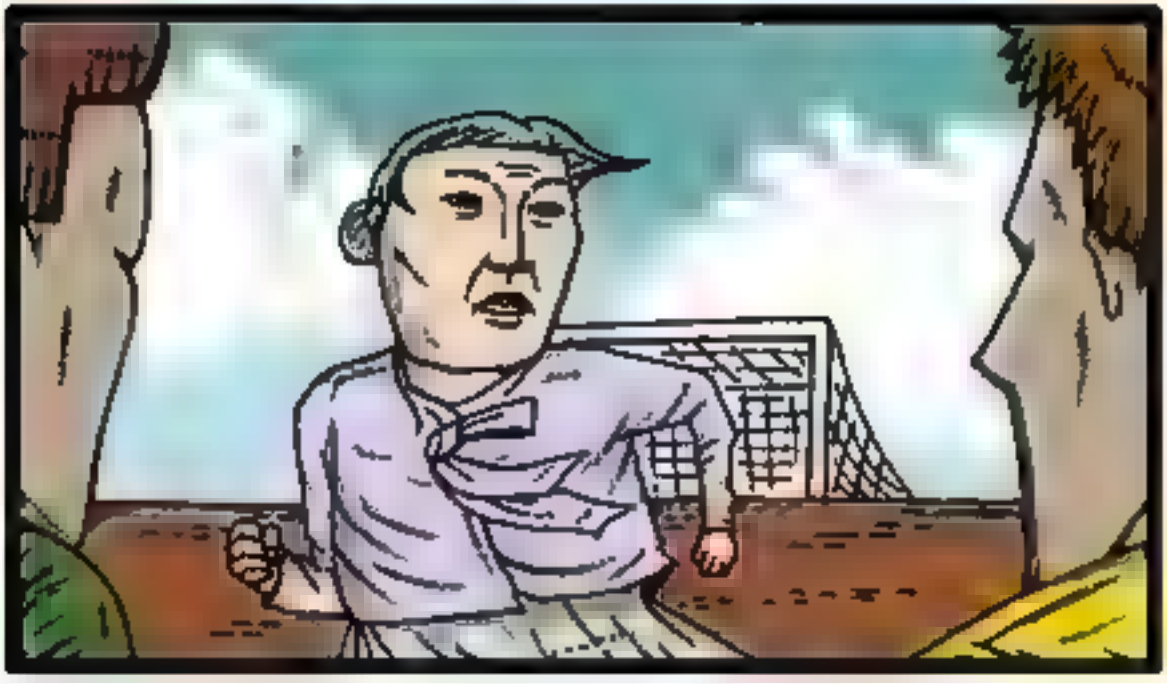




EVERYTHING ABOUT THIS
PLACE IS SO TRADITIONAL.

HEY~
I'M NOT FEELING WELL TODAY, SO INFORM MR. KIM IN HYEOLWANGMOON THAT I WON'T BE ABLE TO ATTEND THE MEETING TODAY.
YES, GRAND-FATHER.
OH... IT REALLY SOUNDS LIKE TWO PEOPLE TALKING BACK IN THE OLD DAYS!

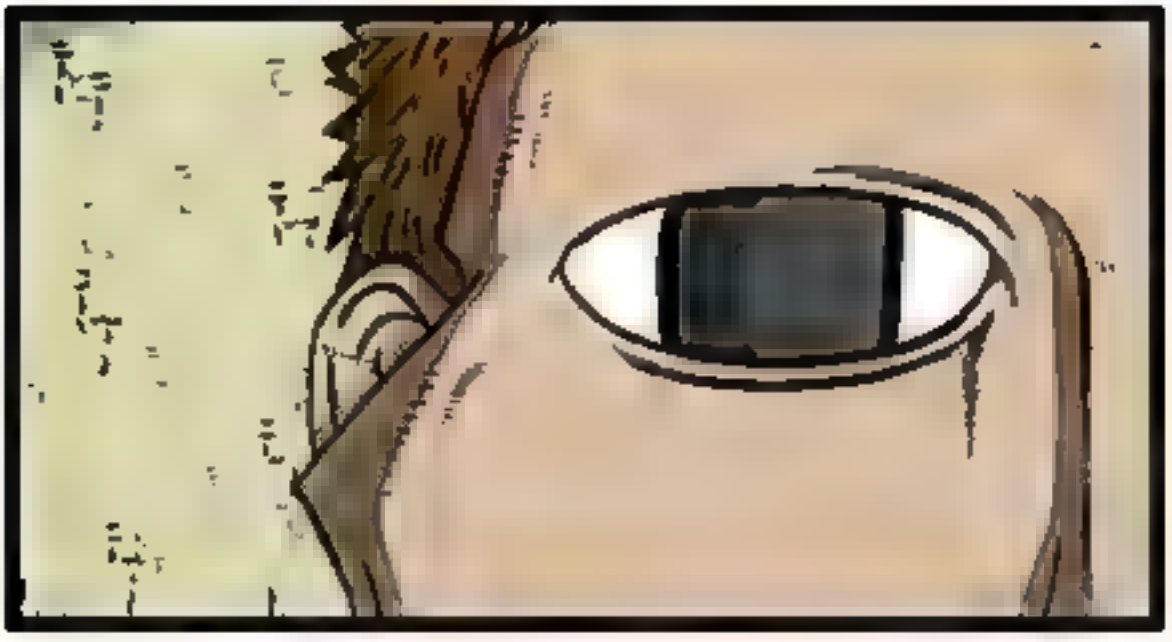
IS THIS HOW YOU DELIVER NEWS AROUND HERE?
YES, ALTHOUGH WE TALK DIRECTLY TO PEOPLE IF WE'RE ON CLOSE TERMS WITH THEM,

IF WE DON'T DIRECTLY KNOW SOMEONE

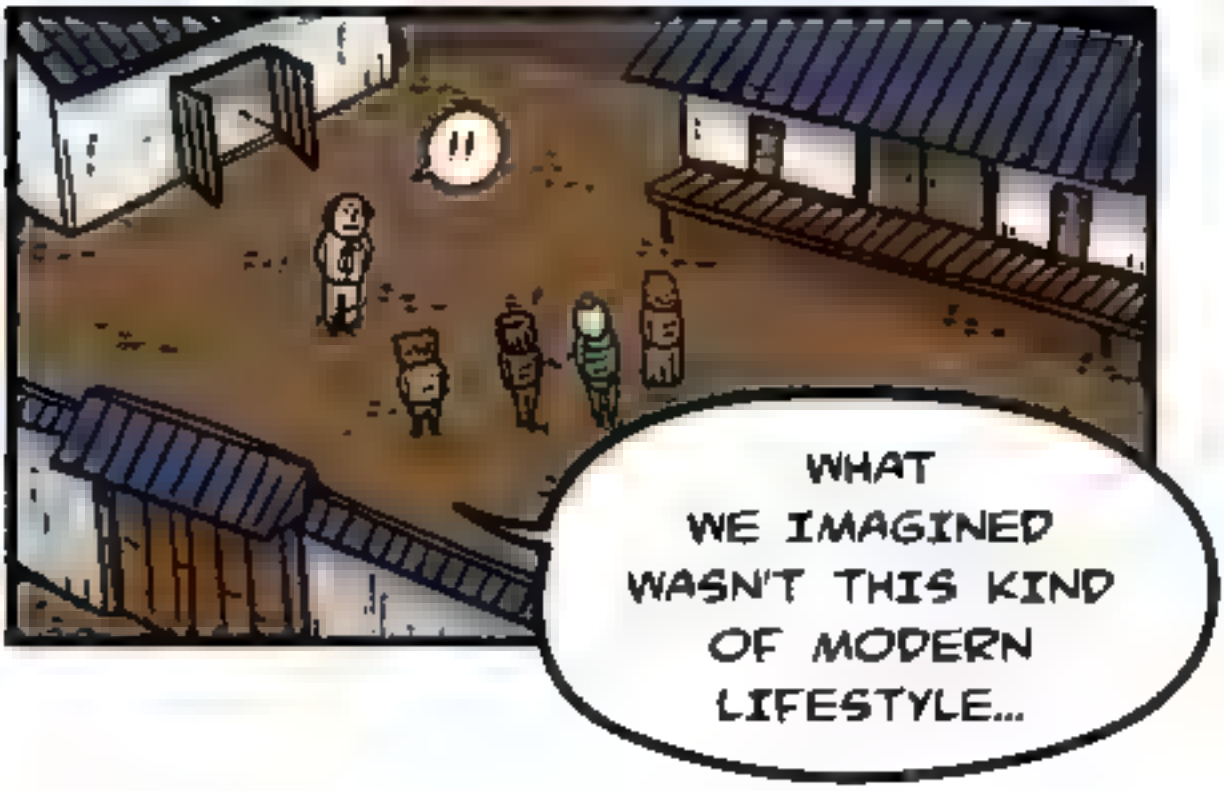
OR THEY HAVE A PARTICULAR RELATIONSHIP TO US, WE USUALLY USE THE MAILBOX OR LETTER SCROLLS.

DIABLO
Now loading

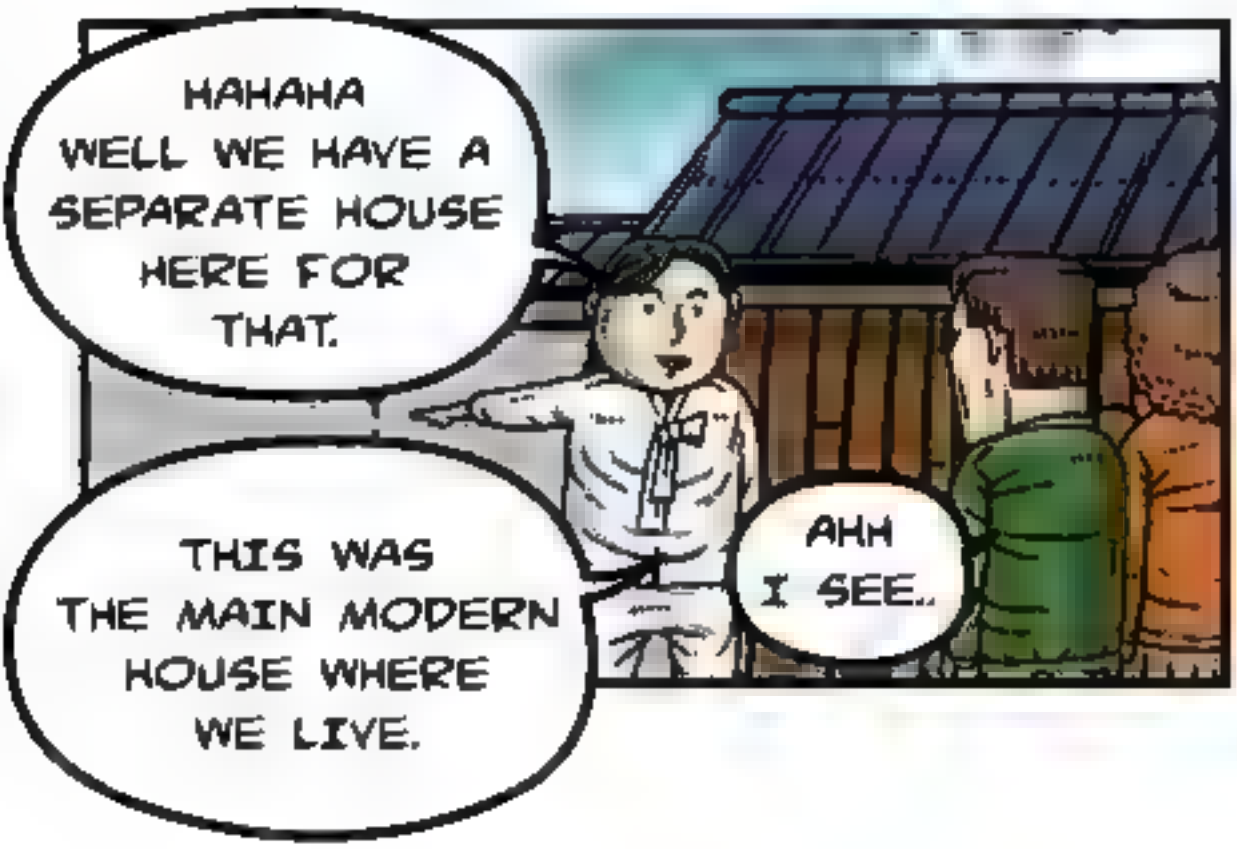
[HYEOLWANGMOONG]
MR. KIM
SIR, THE GUILD MASTER IS BUSY TODAY :(SO HE SAID THAT HE WON'T BE ABLE TO ATTEND OUR REGULAR MEETING I'M VERY SORRY, SIR.
SMEAGOL
CELLOPHANE



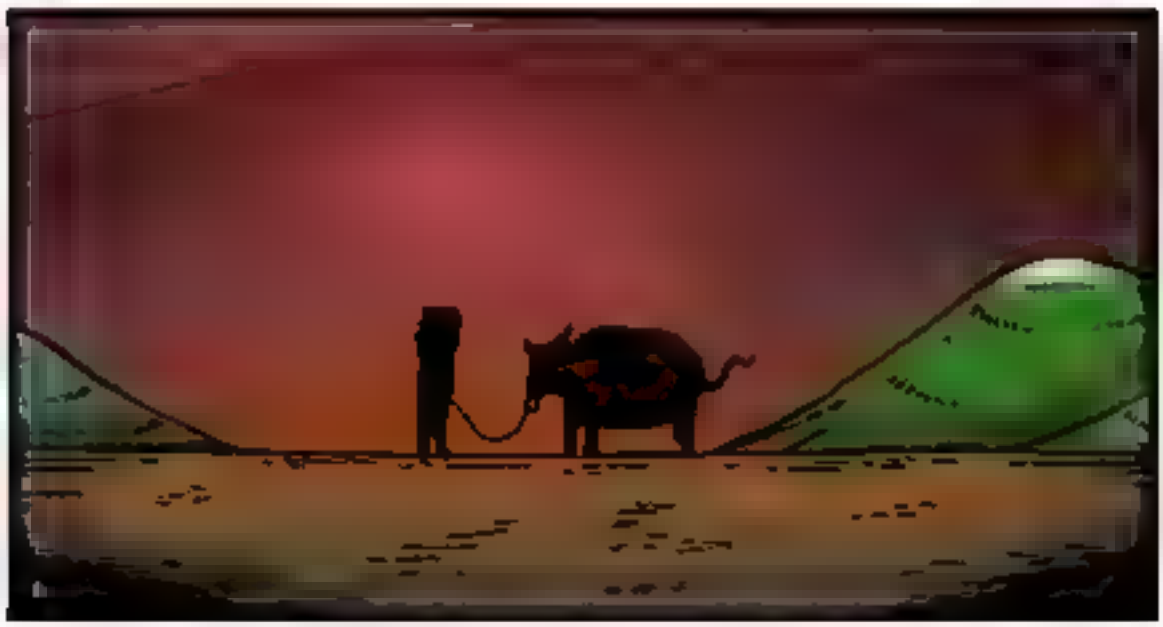
THIS ISN'T WHAT WE WANTED



IT TURNS OUT,
THERE WAS A SEPARATE BUILDING



WHERE WE COULD
EXPERIENCE THAT KIND OF LIFESTYLE.



BIG
BANG
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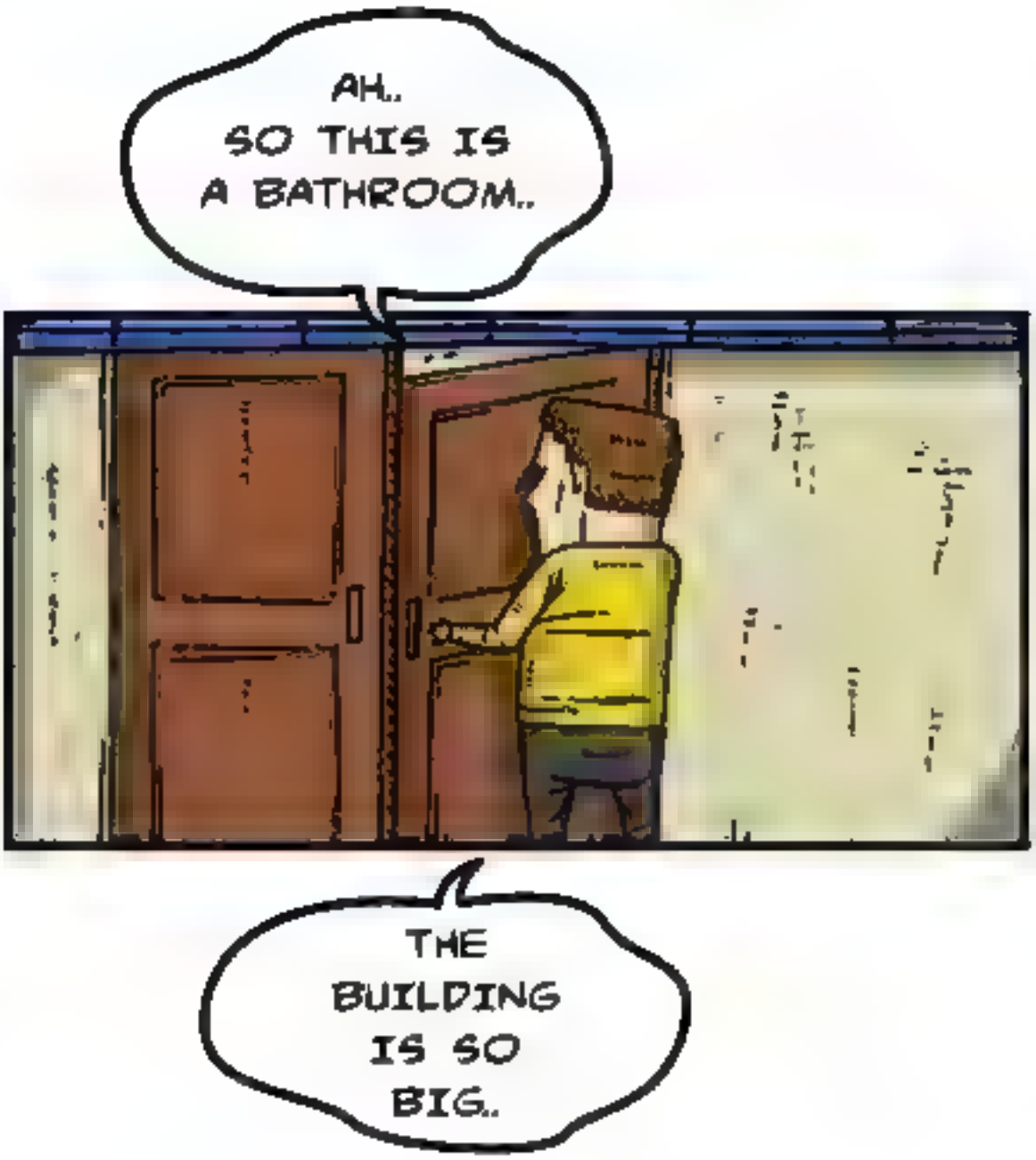
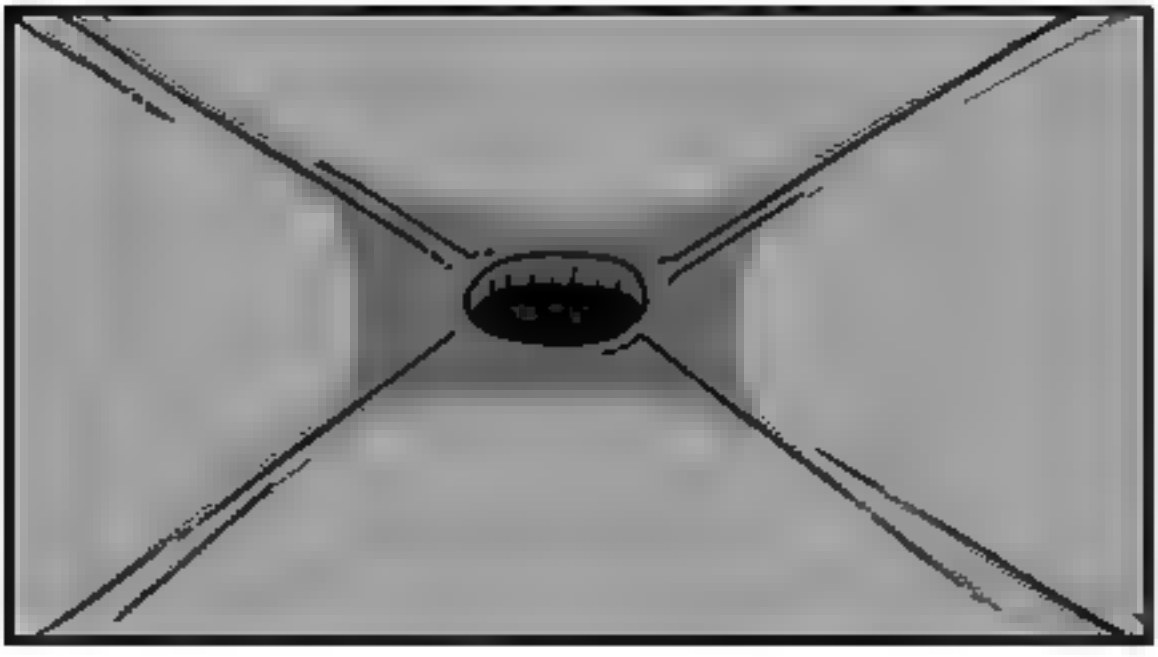
CHO
SEOK

EXCUSE ME,, WHERE'S THE BATHROOM?
THE BUILDING BEHIND YOU OVER THERE IS A SHARED BATHROOM FOR GUESTS.


AH..
SO THIS IS
A BATHROOM..
THE
BUILDING
IS SO
BIG..

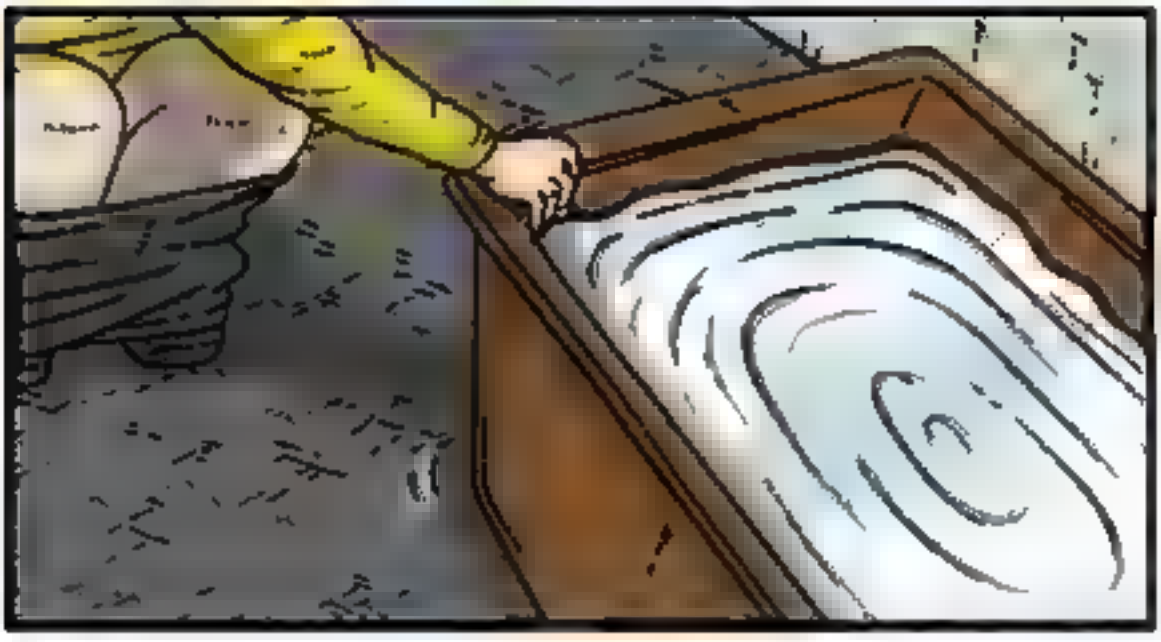
THE TRADITIONAL BATHROOM
WAS DEFINITELY DIFFERENT.

BUT I HAD HEARD ABOUT THIS
KIND OF STRUCTURE BEFORE.

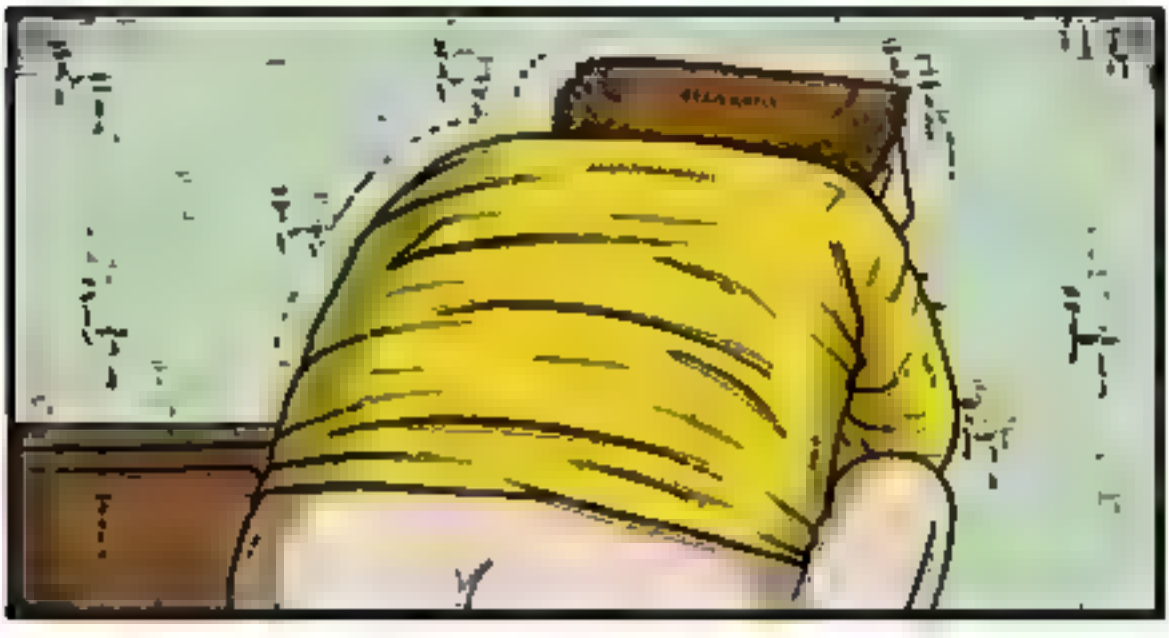


IT'S AN ENVIRONMENTALLY-FRIENDLY
METHOD THAT DOESN'T
USE SYNTHETIC PAPER
OR A MECHANICAL TOILET.

FIRST OF ALL, YOU USE THE WATER
THERE FOR CLEANING UP AFTER YOURSELF.

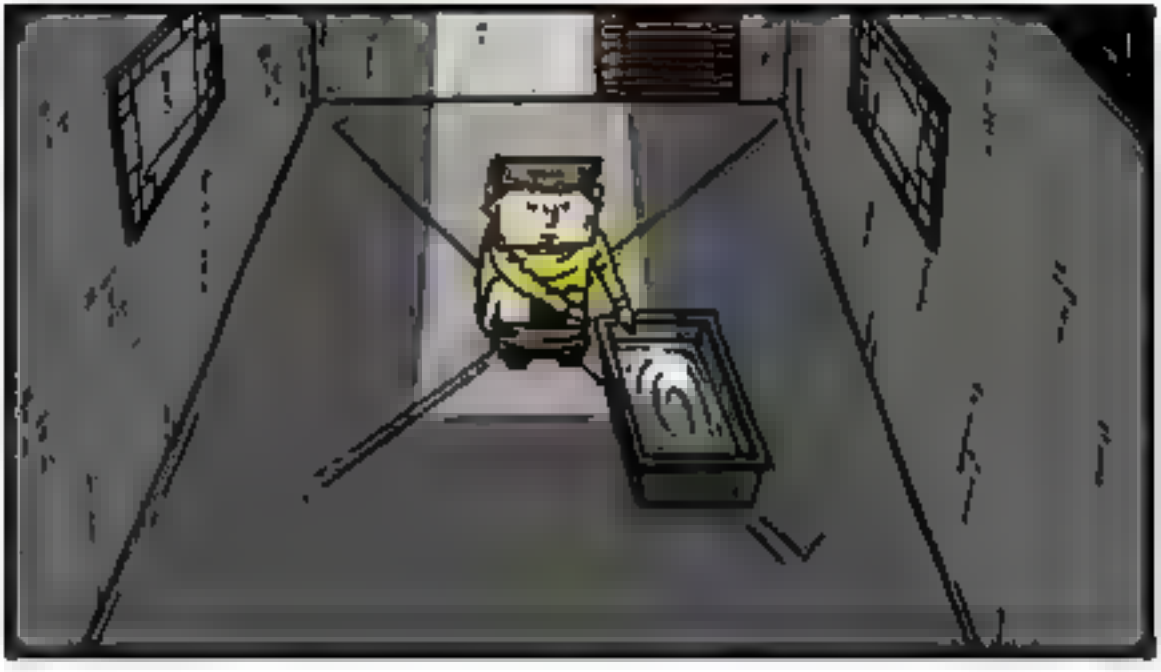


AFTER DOING YOUR BUSINESS OVER THE HOLE IN THE CENTER OF THE BATHROOM



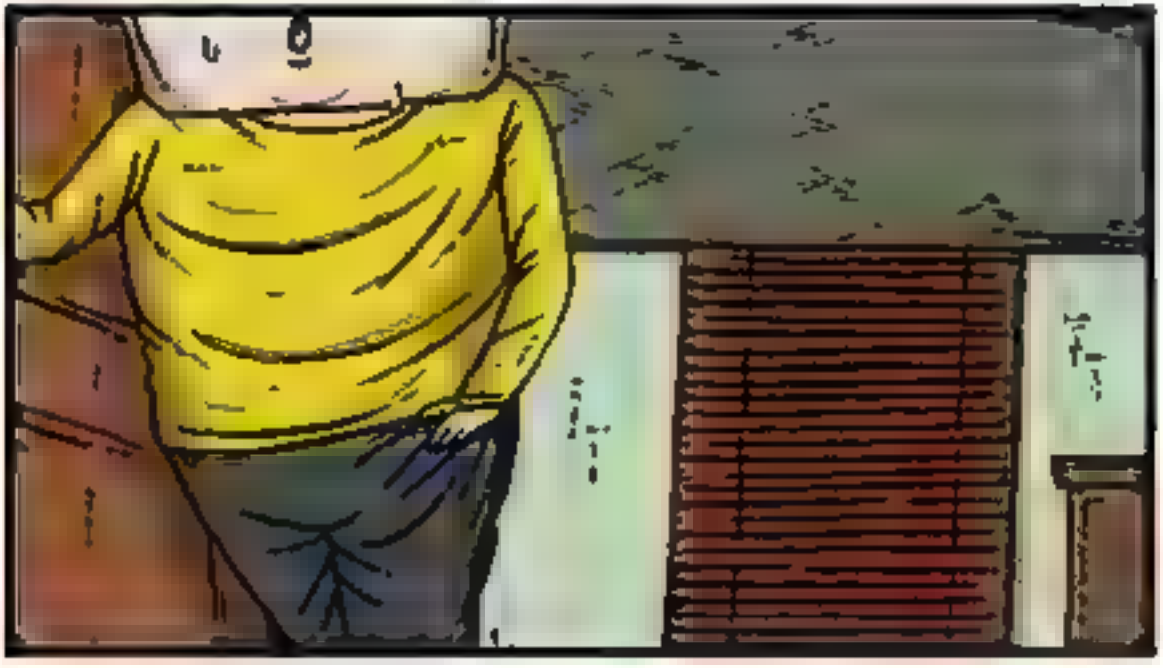
AND THEN SANIZITING YOURSELF WITH WATER,

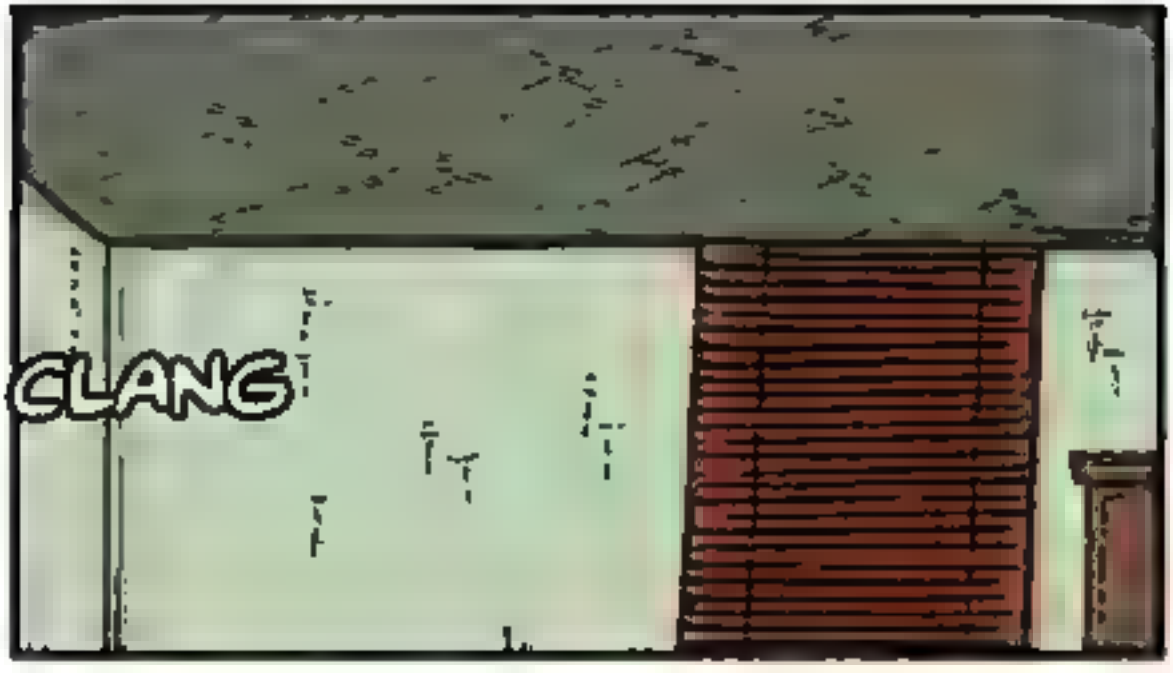
THE FECAL MATTER SLOWLY BREAKS DOWN IN THE HOLE AND IS THEN USED AS FERTILIZER.



THE SUNLIGHT COMING IN THROUGH THE HOLE IN THE ROOF ACCELERATES THIS PROCESS.

IT WAS A VALUABLE OPPORTUNITY TO CATCH A GLIMPSE OF THE GLORIOUS WISDOM OF OUR ANCESTORS LONG AGO.

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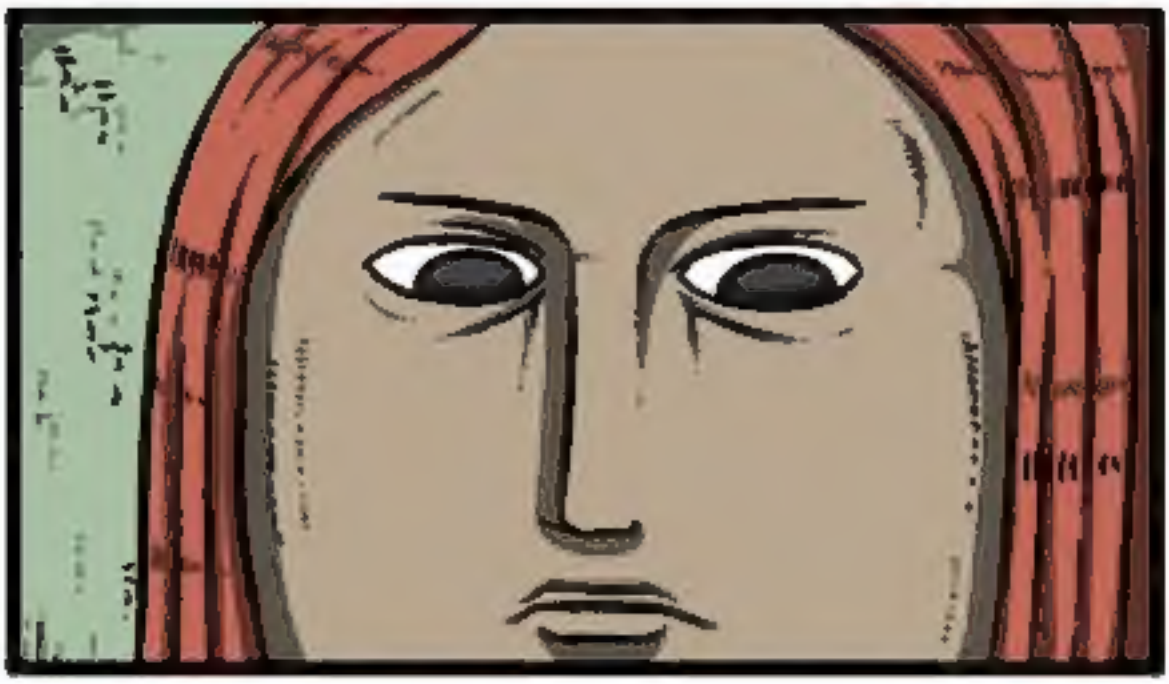
PSSSSSHHHGURGLE

WHAT THE F##K?



WHAT THE F##K?

IT WASN'T ME.
STOP STARING AT ME, YOU #%$%#@. I SAID IT WASN'T ME.

LINE Webtoon